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CHURCH DIBECTORY METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Rev. W. J. Elliott, paster, at new M. E. church, every Sunday, at 11 a.
m. and 7.20 p. m. Sunday School at 3 o'clock p m.
Prayer meeting on Thursday eventing.
Bapties—Elder N. G. Collins, pastor. At Union
Church every Sunday, 11 a. m. and 7½ p. m.
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every Sunday 11 o'clock and 7:30. Sunday school
9 o'clock. Prayer meeting Tuesday evening.
Catholic—Services at 10 a. m. every 4th Sunday
of each month. Rev. Vonderlage, pastor.

A. F. & A. M .- St. BERNARD LODGE 222 meets in Odd Fellows Hall, on 1st Av. and Chestnut street, Second and Fourth Fridays of each month, at 7½ r. x. All sojourning brethren are cordially invited to attend.

J. S. Welch, Secretary.

K. of P.—Appollo Lodge, 62, Holds its regular convention every Thursday, at 7% F. M. corner First av. and Chesnut street. All visiting brothers are co-diably invited. CHARLES COE, C. C. F. T. M. WENIE, K. of R. & S.

I. O. O. F.—CORONA LODGE 137 meets at their Hall corner First ar and Chestnut street, Wednesday of each week at 7.30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all visiting brothers. C. W. WILLETT, Sec'y.

LEWIS POST, G. A. R .- Meets in Odd Fellows Hall, Coner of First avenue and Chestnut street, Dodge City, Kas., every first and third Tucsdays of each month, at 7:30 p m. All members in good standing are earnestly requested to attend. A. DIENST, Commander. J. I. Slaven, Adjutant.

#### LOCAL NEWS.

Three degrees above zero Monday

The District Court is still in session this week.

Morris Collar is selling goods at his old stand again.

Real estate continues to change hands. Buyers are becoming active.

The spring business promises to exceed the trade of any former season.

Sinners must succomb to the religious influence now being exerted in the

Workmen are excavating for the new building to be erected by Mrs. A. L.

Slight snow Sanday and Mondaygiving the appearance of lingering win-

The Baptist Church basket sociable

Building is in progress again, being retarded a few days on account of the J. Collar, F. J. Durand and M. Col-

lar are preparing to build brick store

Judge Crumbaugh has a lot of marri-

age certificates excellently and handsomely executed. The bonds for bridge purchase were

defeated. A township election will be called to vote bonds. Andrew Evarts has gone to LaJunta.

Colo., where he is engaged on the railroad construction. Three degrees below zero Tuesday morning. The weather has resumed a

pleasant condition once more. In consequence of the increased rate of speed on the Santa Fe, an extra man

is now allowed on each section. S. C. Black has purchased the stove and tinware business of Chas. Shields. Mr. Black is an enterprising man.

We have no doubt the religious revival will produce a good effect on the moral condition of the city.

The new county schemes are spoken of as prolific and prosperous. There is no telling what a legislature will bring

The open cellar of one of the burnt buildings projects on the sidewalk, and is a man trap. It is likely to make expense to the city.

Samuel Swan has returned from Helmick, Ohio, where he spent a few months visiting old friends. He returns in excellent health.

A. D. Thayer, on Friday last, wore a and contradictory statements. pleasant look, and said to us he never felt better in his life. A ten-pound boy had made his appearance at his for the happy family.

No one but a total abstainer is allowed, under the laws of Michigan, to be employed as engineer, train dispatcher, fireman, brakeman, or other railroad Any railroad violating this law is liable to a fine of \$500 for each other one thing. Prof. Koch, of Berlin,

The hotel at Fowler City is ready for the accommodation of the public. A back line will be run between Dodge City and Fowler City, making three trips a week. Fowler City is improving rapidly and is destined to be a prominent place.

The time to set out trees is near at hand and we hope our people will make a special effort to beautify, their homes and add to the appearance of the town by setting out trees around their residences. Don't be afraid they will not grow. With proper care they are sure the Methodist parsonage, by Rev. W. J. to grow, and nothing will add so much Elliott, Charles W. Kingsbury to Miss to the value of a piece of property as a Dora L. Spencer, both of Ashland, Kan-

#### Death of Judge Fringer.

news created considerable feeling and surprise but it was not unexpected. Judge Fringer a few months ago, went to the Hot Springs for medical treat-ment, but failed to receive the desired benefit. He returned to his former home in Canton, O., and was treated for dropsy. He lingered a short time and died on Friday last, surrounded by relatives and friends. The deceased was about 40 years of age. Judge Fringer came to this section of country about the year 1870, and engaged in mercantile business. He was a poor young man, but his integrity and strict business principles won for him a good name, and he soon accumulated a small fortune. He engaged in business in Dodge City in the early settlement of the town, and continued in business until a couple of years ago. Judge Fringer held the office of Postmaster nine years, and was three times elected to the office of Probate Judge. He was generally esteemed as an officer and a man, and his death created profound sorroww among those who knew him intimately.

The sad intelligence of his death was immediately communicated by telegraph, to R. W. Evans, of this city, in whom Judge Fringer had the strictest confidence and the closest friendship. The dying request of the Judge was that Mr. Evans should settle up his business. He made a will bequeathing his estate to his mother. He left property amounting perhaps to \$25,000, mostly in Government bonds. He owned some real estate in this city and town property in Salida, Colo. There was an insurance policy of \$2,500.00 on his life.

Judge Fringer was unmarried. He had many good qualities of heart, and was true and honest in all of his dealings. The best tribute to his memory is to commend his example of uprightness and conscientiousness. We knew him as a friend to love him. We knew him as a man to admire him. We knew him as an acquaintance to respect him. We knew him as a business man to find him just and honest. The attributes of his heart were noble ones, though we condemn his faults, which were habits formed from his genial, social nature, and at a time when the customs of the the frontier made hospitality a rule. We add our expressions of sorrow in condolence with those who loved him as a son, a brother and a friend.

Our city authorities must remember that we are in the track which the cholera has followed every time it has swept over this country. Should the scourge come this summer the streets of the town would breed the disease in its most malignant form. It is of vital importance that the town be cleaned up, and that at once. Let the citizens make it so hot for the authorities that they will have to do it, and not wait till some scourge kills half our people berealized \$40. Thursday night of last forethe precaution is taken. An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. | the boys are provided with instruments.

Larned Chronoscope.
The city authorities of Dodge must also take the hint.

### Stone Buildings.

O. Marsh and W. C. Shinn have contracted with H. McBroom, for the Prairie fire on the reservation last erection of two two-story buildings 25 week. Now is the time to look out for x 75 feet, to be constructed on their ots fronting on Front street, and to take the places of the buildings burned down. The stone for these buildings will be obtained at the quarries belonging to Mr. McBroom, thirteen miles northeast of Dodge City. The stone is an excellent quality of sand stone. The work of building is to be commenc-

The revival meetings commenced in the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, and will be continued until further otice. The meetings will be held in the M. E. church, commencing Sunday night. Dodge City is ripe for religious work, and we anticipate great good from these meetings. It is the duty of religious people to encourage them by their presence. Rev. A. J. Bell, the Evangelist, will be present shortly, and assist in the work of reviving and redeeming the cause of religion.

S. K. Hall, formerly of Warrensburg, Mo., now of Colorado, is stopping in the city. Mr. Hall was once associated with us in the newspaper business, having established a newspaper in Warrensburg at the close of the war. He is now engaged in the mining business in Colorado. He speaks in high praise of Dodge City and the future prospects of the town as they appear to him. We talked over old times, reviving some pleasant recollections.

O. A. Phelps, a lecturer of the Ingersoll school, abused God and the English language, at the opera house in this city, two or three nights of this week. His discourses were rambling essays title of his first lecture was "the mistakes of God." It is quite apparent that the lecturer knew of one mistake house that morning, and is making joy that God had made, but he did not refer to it. The public estimation is that Phelps is a mistake.

Impure drinking water is everywhere regarded by medical men and sanitarians as predisposing people to attacks of cholera to a greater extent than any who has the reputation of having discovered the bacillus of cholera, found that this minute organism abounded in waters contaminated by the drainage of

George Broadenax, colored, age 113 years, died at his home at 10 o'clock Monday morning. The deceased had convened the Board in special session caught a severe cold, which led to consider the proposition of changing sickness and death. George was an the lines of Dodge and Crocked Creek active man until a few days before his death. His age is stated by those who know him intimately, at 113 years.

MARRIED.-Feb. the 4th, 1885, at

Herman J. Fringer, an old citizen of Dodge City, died at Canton, Ohio, at one o'clock, on Friday last. The sad loves the chilbren.

Messrs. Langton & Sherlock are in the east purchasing a large stock of hardware and agricultural implements for their new store, which they will open on the first of March in the Wright House building. This building will be SE qr " 36, refitted for a store building.

A steer walked upon the roof of the dug-out occupied by David McAfce, near the round-house, and fell through, doing no particular damage. David was slightly disturbed from enjoying his noon meal. His wife, who, a day or two ago gave birth to a child, was removed to the house of a neighbor.

Prof. John Robertson has been engaged as Engineer by the Eureka Irrigation Canal Company. He is father of John H. Robertson, cashier of the house of R. M. Wright & Co. The Professor has been engaged in mining in New Mexico. He will take charge of the irrigation works as soon as the weather moderates.

The committee in the Kansas House, to whom was referred the proposed with the following result: new county bills, have reported favora-bly. The counties of Meade and Clark are restored to their old lines. Ford county will still remain a large county. It is believed that the proposed measures will pass, but some other new county projects will fail.

The celebrated libel suit of W. F. Petillon, vs. N. B. Klaine, was dismissed in the District Court on Tuesday, the plaintiff paying the costs, and the defendant the sum of one dollar. The suit was brought to recover \$10,000 damages supposed to have been sustained by the publication of alleged libelous remarks in the TIMES concerning the plaintiff.

The Mounce case which occupied considerable time in the District Court, and was tried before two juries, was terminated on Tuesday, the jury bringing in a verdict of not guilty. The first trial was on a charge of attempt to kill, the jury falling to agree, and the second trial on a charge of assault and battery. The costs in this case will amount to three hundred dollars which the county will have to pay. The com-plaint was made by Mr. Eliason, who lives near Pearlette postoffice.

Another brass band has been organized in Dodge, and will receive instructions from Prof. Eastman. The band is composed of twelve or fourteen members, young men 15 to 21 years of age, named as far as we could learn as follows: Spencer Logan, George Conrad, Milan Segar, Frank Riney, Morris Burt Richard Owen, John B. Martin, George Dupus, Estell Reamer, Harry Hubbard, Sid Duffield. A majority of Toot ! toot! toot! t-r-r-r-ip.

#### COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

#### Special Meetings of the Board of County Commissioners.

Board of County Commissioners met at office of county clerk Friday, February 6th, 1885, at ten o'clock a. m., as canvassing board. Present, F. C. Zimmermann, chair-

man, and J. Q. Shoup, member; S. Gallagher, Jr., county clerk. On motion, the minutes of last meet-

ing were read and approved.

The Board then proceeded to canvass the returns of late election on Bridge Bond question, with the following re-

DODGE TOWNSHIP.

Dodge precinct-For Bonds, 313.

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Against Bonds..................95. CIMARRON TOWNSHIP. SPEAREVILLE TOWNSHIP. 

Total For Bonds .........460. bridge bonds was declared defeated by declared elected. vote of 460 for, and 734 against.

On motion, Board adjourned. On request of the requisite number of commissioners. Chairman Zimmerman cast.

On motion of F. C. Zimmermann, ical attendance on paupers, 90 cents, that part of Dodge township south of and viewing dead bodies, \$10.00. Also the south line of old Ford county, and post-mortem, \$25.00. east of range 25, consisting of townships 30 to 35 inclusive, of range 21, 38 cents. 22, 23 and 24, was detached from Dedge

On motion, the appraisers of the following school lands were approved, as reported by Superintendent Groendyke: All section 16, township 28, ranges 21 " 36, 29. " 36. 25. 33, 23 SW qr " 36, 26, NE qr " 16, " 25, "

On motion, meeting adjourned to Tuesday, February 10, 1885.

SAN'L GALLAGHER, JR. County Clerk.

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were read and approved. The Board then proceeded to canvass the returns from Township elections Robinson, because he crew so.

DODGE TOWNSHIP Dodge. Howell. Klaine. Total. Trustee:
E. W. Cooley, 572
Thos. Lahey, 124
Clerk:
Geo. F. Jones, 388
I. J. Collier, 157 1. J. Collier, Road Overseer: J. Riney, Constable: D. Morrow, N. Cary, S. Miner, John Keisey, 400 WHEATLAND TOWNSHIP.

Treasurer: Lewis Wetzell,... W. C. Dunker, Clerk: W. H. Preston, Joe Mellicker, Justice of Peace: Juo. H. Werner, R. E. Burns, Road Overseer: Jos. Holtfrerich, D. Stewart, Constable, CROOKED CREEK TOWNSHIP.

Crooked Belle Creek. Marion. Odec. Mead. Total. O. Norman, C. G. Allen, A. Lockhart, D. C. Caldwell. Trustee: O. W. Winder, 31 M. P. Hatchinson,28 Jno. L. Smith, Clerk: Clerk:
Geo. Allen, 59
D. Atchinson,
Justice of Peace:
L. K. Mycrs, 15
John Innis,
C. M. Rice, 25
J. Wagonner,
A. A. Majors, 17
W. M. Harwood,
Juo. Powell,
Constable:
J. L. Smith, 57
Geo. DeCow, 54
M. Rynerson, 1
W. T. Simmons, 2
W. S. Simmons, 1
W. C. Matterson,
E. P. Sommers,
F. Hademars, Allen, 59

Treasurer: W. J. Ritter. P. J. Upps, SEWARD TOWNSHIP. Geo. Grace .... . Taylor..... Taylor.....

HAMILTON TOWNSHIP. J. L. Boswell .... A. W. Baxter ...

There being a tie between R. E. Burns and Jno. H. Werner for Justice ple of that vicinity. Truly Yours, of the Peace, in Wheatland township, ja22-3t Total Against Bonds.....734. the tie was decided by lot, and R. E. On motion, the proposition to issue Burns drew the lucky number and was one door north of postoffice on Bridge

> On motion, the county clerk was in structed to issue certificates of election Has been repaired, refitted and refurto those receiving a majority of votes nished, and is now opened to the trav-

The bids for county supplies as per advertisement, was next taken up, and the lines of Dodge and Crooked Creek the following awards made: Wright & Plumer, medicine and med-

T. F. Sturtevant, head light oil, 175 °

On motion, the bonds of county contractors, were fixed as follows:

For coal contract, \$1000. Medicine & medical attendance, \$1000 Coal oil. \$200.

On motion, the appraisers of the following tract of school land was approved as recommended by Supt. Groendyke: S1, section 36, township 25, range 22w

On request of treasurer of district number 5, the clerk was instructed to notify county treasurer to place, to the credit of teachers' fued, any moneys in his possession belonging to sinking fund of district number 5.

On motion board adjourned. S. GALLAGHER, JR., County Clerk.

James F. Wells, an old citizen, was burried yesterday. He was a member of the G. A. R.

A Pennsylvania poultryman has nam-ed his favorite hen Macduff, because he wants her to lay on, and an Ohio man the otherday named a fine rooster

#### Hay for Sale.

I will sell about 50 tons of good hay, cut before frost, well stacked; can b hauled away or fed to cattle on the premises; good water. Five miles below Point of Rocks, on the river, in Ford county. Address, R. E. Burns, Offerle, Edwards Co., Ks.

#### Trees.

M. Collar. He has a fine lot of home grown trees of every variety, in his

#### Trustees-M. E. Church.

Let there be a full turn out of the trustees of the M. E. church, on Thursday evening, at 6:30, sharp, for the transaction of important business

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Coal for Sale. A new hearing from headquarters as By car lots......\$6.25 At the bins, in ton lots . . . . . 6.75 Less than ton lots..... 6.95 Delivered, per ton...... 7.25 Half ton lots..... 3.75 Smaller quantities, a trip..... .40 Terms Cash. J. E. McADAMS, Ag't.

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Dodge City, Kansas.

Dr. Kiser wishes to notify the people of Ford county that he will locate in their midst about the first of February, two miles north of old Meade City, twenty miles south of Cimarron, to engage in the practice of medicine, and would solicit the patronage of the peo-

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